

Docket # 5624

1753

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

GARY LOCK ET AL

U.S. Serial No. 10/031,366

Group Art Unit 1753

Filed: March 4, 2002

Examiner: A. Diamond

DIELECTROPHORETIC APPARATUS AND METHOD

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment / ~~a response~~ in the above-identified application.

X No additional fee is required.
_____ An additional fee is required as calculated below -

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	<u>Small Entity</u> Addnl. Rate Fee	<u>Other Than A Small Entity</u> Addnl. Rate Fee
Total	_____	Minus * _____	_____	x \$ 25 \$ _____	x\$ 50 \$ _____
Indep	_____	Minus * _____	_____	x \$100 \$ _____	x\$200 \$ _____
First Presentation of Mul Dep Claim.....	_____	_____	_____	x \$180 \$ _____	x\$360 \$ _____
Total Additional Fee.....				\$ _____ \$ _____

* The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number of claims filed originally or highest number found from equivalent box of a prior amendment.

X This response is being filed within the period for response.

_____ of the Examiner's Action as follows:

_____ First-Month Extension..... \$ 60.00 / \$ 120.00
_____ Second-Month Extension..... \$ 225.00 / \$ 450.00
_____ Third-Month Extension..... \$ 510.00 / \$1020.00

X Small entity status of this application is being claimed.

A Check in the amount of \$ 0.00 is attached hereto. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-3690 of the undersigned attorney. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: October 31, 2005
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A M E N D M E N T

Dear Sir:

In response to the official action mailed August
1, 2005, please amend the captioned application as set forth
below.